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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, 1890.

Personally appeared before me, H. G. Olin,

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For September, 1891.....9,177 "

And further, that said circulation was bona

fide in the strictest sense of the law.

(Signed) H. G. OLIN,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21st day of September, 1891.

(Signed) G. A. DOBSON,

Notary Public.

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tember is as follows:

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For the week ended September 14, 60,650

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For the week ended September 28, 61,110

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McKinley's name is not to drop out of public notice all at once. His will is going to be contested.

As PATT pursues her latest farewell tour, it is remarked that her hair has lost its golden hue, but her prices haven't.

A somewhat incredible rumor is current to the effect that Allison and Alger are united in hostility to Blaine. The Democratic Chicago Times thinks that this is a reminder of the nursery rhyme, "Big A, little a, bounding B."

"All Europe," writes the editor of the Omaha Bee, to his paper as he journeys abroad, "hates McKinley because he has crippled and paralyzed some of their most profitable industries." McKinley can probably stand it if Europe can, and the United States needn't worry.

The opening at the Chamber of Commerce last evening was a success. The display was fine and the crowd large. The exercises on the platform were fine, spirited and interesting. Leroy E. Mosher's poem, "The Little Tin Pail," was appropriate, and is highly meritorious, as is usual with his poetical work.

The array of live stock, other than race horses, at Agricultural Park, is not as strong as might be wished, though there are some good animals on exhibition. Interest centers in the horse and the track. The "flyer" carries himself; it is the useful animals that need encouragement in their breeding and development.

The annual report of the Governor of Alaska shows that the exports of that Territory during the past year were valued at \$8,941,515. When it is remembered that the price paid to Russia for the entire country by the United States in 1867 was only \$7,200,000 we comprehend what a great bargain Uncle Sam made.

Tax famous Sunol trotted a mile on the Stockton kite-shaped track yesterday in 2:08 1/4, lowering the record long held by Maud S. by half a second. Sunol is now queen of the turf. As she is but 5 years old, and as all or nearly all the great trotting records have been made by much older racers, her possibilities for the future seem almost boundless.

Tax gentlemen who are now assembled in convention in Los Angeles to discuss the irrigation question undoubtedly represent the most important subject that is before the State today. We have only to look at the wonderful changes which water has accomplished in such places as Riverside, Pasadena, Pomona and Fresno to realize the truth of this statement. The discourses at the convention yesterday, a condensed report of which appears in another column, were of much interest.

The Farmers' Alliance assembly, now sitting with closed doors in this city, must be "short" on platform carpenters. The resolution presented yesterday by William Penn Rodgers of San Bernardino was drafted by the notorious H. B. Boyce, that horny-handed son of toil who recently distinguished himself by getting fired out of the Alliance Farmer, but who is better known as the possessor of a personal reputation judicially assessed in the Superior Court of Los Angeles county as of the value of one dollar (\$1.)

A United States district court at Waco, Tex., has declared unconstitutional the State law which prohibits the ownership of land by aliens. The general tenor of the Texas press in commenting upon the decision is one of rejoicing. Even those who were foremost in urging the enactment of the law have been outspoken in expressing their satisfaction at its overthrow. In the brief space of time during which it was operative it did the State serious injury by repelling foreign capital and creating a general feeling of distrust of the future of the community.

The Herald of yesterday published its usual contraband advertisement of "lucky" numbers in the Louisiana fake. The unlucky numbers, many of which are held in our own swindled but still more or less credulous community, are never published. Simultaneous with the announcement of the drawing (and quattering) there is a reprint reading notice about "Lucky Valcin Jacob," who, "while hurrying down the street, cast a glance at a show case when he saw a ticket beginning with 15"—and so forth and so forth. What a lucky dog Jacob is, to be sure! But the lottery fakirs are luckier all the time. And the Herald still helps them to wheedle and humbug the public.

FRANK PHILLIPS, formerly of Findlay, O., but for the last two years a resident of Florida, thus expressed himself to the reporter of an Ohio paper:

I think the future of Florida is in the cultivation of pine-apples, and not her orange groves. Most of the land there is poor and sandy, and well adapted to the growth of pine-apples, which are almost air plants, and need but little cultivation and the night dew to develop into splendid maturity. They bring 10 to 11 cents before they are shipped, and ten thousand a year can be grown on an acre of sandy land. Before coming north the last time a friend and myself bought a small yacht and went "camping" up the Indian River. It is the most favored region in the State, both as to soil and climate, and on nearly all the plantations we passed they were cutting down their orange trees to make room for the culture of pine-apples. A pine-apple plant, which resembles a cabbage very much, will bear fruit when two years old, and continue this for nine years, at the expiration of which time it has to be transplanted.

### The Cyclone Prophet Again.

We are considerably interested in the weather forecasts of Prophet Foster, of St. Joseph, Mo. A few days ago THE TIMES gave an analysis of one of his predictions, comparing it in detail with the events, which transpired in remarkable accordance therewith. Here is another one, dated October 9:

My last letter gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from the 7th to 11th and the next will be due to leave the Pacific Coast about the 13th, cross the great central valley from 14th to 16th, and reach the Atlantic Coast about the 17th. The center of the low barometer of this storm wave will probably cross the Mississippi River about or north of St. Louis, and will develop its greatest force east of the river. Sharp frosts may be expected along the fourth degree about one day after this storm center has passed.

The fourth storm wave of the month will be due to leave the Pacific Coast about the 19th, cross the central valley from 20th to 22d, and reach the Atlantic Coast about the 24th, and reach the Atlantic Coast about the 24th, and reach the Atlantic Coast about the 24th.

The cardinal feature of this prophecy is in fixing the date when a general cyclonic disturbance will occur at a certain point and when it will reach a certain other point, detailing the route which it will travel and its probable degree of violence. We know in a general way, of course, that these storms all move from a westerly to an easterly direction. The utmost that the United States Weather Bureau attempts is to note, from physical observation, when one of these storms is approaching, tell how long it will probably take to cross the country, note its progress, and tell when, where and how dangerous conditions are developed (resulting in tornadoes) generally when it is too late to give any body warning. This is not strictly prediction; it is observation of an event during its occurrence. With the advantage of a wide field of inspection and an excellent system of gathering and formulating information, the bureau becomes possessed of certain facts as soon as they occur, and by generalizing them, and utilizing its knowledge of weather characteristics, can map out the course of a cyclonic "low" and warn the people two or three days ahead that it is coming. In many cases even this short warning is of great value.

In the case of Prophet Foster, however, he has no corps of observers scattered across the continent; he does not depend on first noting the occurrence of a storm and then reporting that it is on its way. But in his study in St. Joseph, as near the geographical center of the United States as he could get, he consults his data and pores over his theory of equinoxes and then proclaims to the country, "Eight or nine or ten days from date (fixing the date) a cyclonic disturbance will strike the Pacific Coast." That is real, simple, pure prediction; that is weather prophecy! And the singular thing about it is that he seems to hit the cyclone on the head about every time.

In the prediction of three general storms to occur during the first half of October, as noted in our previous article, he was accurate to a day, and we find a verification in the reports of the Weather Bureau. Now, let us do a little more verifying in the same way. First—"The next [storm wave] will be due to leave the Pacific Coast about the 13th." The report of the Weather Bureau of the 18th says: "The 'low,' or cyclonic, disturbance is moving steadily eastward near Vancouver Island, but will probably enter the Coast far to the northward."

Second—"The fourth storm wave of the month will be due to leave the Pacific Coast about the 19th." Again referring to the reports of the Weather Bureau, we have, October 17: "There are indications this morning of the approach of another cyclonic disturbance from the ocean"; and, again, on the 18th: "The cyclonic disturbance of Saturday is moving slowly eastward from the ocean west of Vancouver Island." On the 19th: "The cyclonic disturbance of Saturday passed eastward over British Columbia yesterday at a very high altitude."

Thus it appears that Mr. Foster gave information of the approach of this storm wave to the Pacific Coast eight days before the United States Weather Bureau reported it. This interval marks the difference between prediction and observation.

The Weather Bureau would do well to look up Mr. Foster and get some points from him.

### What the McKinley Tariff Has Done.

The New York Press recently presented statistics gathered from merchants of the metropolis of all shades of political opinions showing that the prices of about 90 per cent. of the articles in commonest use had either declined or remained stationary in price in the first year of the McKinley bill, while actual statistics proved that instead of putting a Chinese wall around the country and strangling commerce, the new tariff law had actually increased free imports in seven months ending August 1 \$89,516,777 and increased exports \$86,397,188.

The facts presented by the Press have been copied and commented on far and near. But not one Democratic or free trade newspaper has attempted to refute or answer them. This disgraceful apology for an answer came from the World yesterday—after six days of brain racking. "The latest brilliant effort" of the Press, it said, was "to claim that the tariff was not a tax, because the articles taxed are cheaper than they were in 1857! This is like

arguing that stage coaches are faster than they used to be, because one can ride to Boston in six hours, whereas formerly it took four days."

For the benefit of Mr. Cleveland, Gov. Hill and the whole host of free traders, the Press presents in a nutshell some facts about the operation of the new tariff which they will have to meet squarely or confess themselves beaten. The Press now concludes that the McKinley law has—

Increased the duties on about 115 articles.

Reduced the duties on about 190 articles.

And left it unchanged on 249 articles.

Increased our foreign commerce (in eleven months) \$74,768,639.

Increased our free imports, \$112,018,081.

Made the percentage of free imports 50.75 of all our imports.

Increased free imports over the last tariff, 22.48 per cent.

Reduced the duties per capita from \$3.80 to \$3.07.

Reduced the total revenue ("tariff taxes") in twelve months, \$41,896,425.

Increased the cost of no necessity of life and reduced the cost of many; stimulated business and thereby tended to make people busier and earnings surer, if not larger.

The figures here given for foreign commerce and free imports are for eleven months ending September 1, the latest at hand, and the percentages of free imports, which are now larger than ever before in the history of our Government, are for six months, beginning April 1, when sugar became free.

We were shown yesterday some very choice bananas, grown in the dooryard of Mr. Ruth, on Crown Hills, this city. They are of the Florida dwarf variety, the fruit being shorter and thicker than the average Central American bananas, which are sold exclusively in our fruit stands. The "dwarf" excels that of the imported as much as a peach just gathered from the tree, ripe and luscious, excels that which was picked before complete maturity and left to ripen in a box. This emphasizes what THE TIMES had to say some time ago on the subject of growing bananas in Southern California for market.

The experimental stage has been passed. It is established to a certainty that our horticulturists can produce bananas, and undoubtedly make money at it if they will only put their hands earnestly to the task. In the course of a few years we might grow enough of this kind of fruit to exclude foreign importations entirely. We would thus find another source of income for small farmers, keep a lot of money in the country and confer a benefit on banana eaters in the choice fruit provided for them.

Regarding the improvised and somewhat exclusive reception tendered to President Polk of the Farmers' Alliance, on Monday evening, it should be stated that the Grand Army of the Republic organization had nothing whatever to do with the affair. Some veterans were present but not in any organized or official capacity. The Grand Army of the Republic could not, consistently with its firmly established principles, take part in a political demonstration, and the impudent attempt in certain quarters to make it a tender to the Farmers' Alliance is unwarranted. An authoritative repudiation of this demagogical attempt is published this morning. It will meet the concurrence of all true Grand Army men.

### Taxa Ficticia.

[New York Press.]

Here's one more straw about the effect of the McKinley Bill's tobacco clauses on the home tobacco industry. The fiscal year of the Danville, Va., tobacco market ended on September 30 last. The sales of the fiscal year that ended with September 30, 1890, were 24,925,076 pounds. Well, the sales of the fiscal year just ended, were 40,099,389 pounds.

### BESIEGED BY WOLVES.

A Girl Chased by a Pack of Ravenous Animals.

SEDAN, KAN., Oct. 12.—[Correspondence.] Mary Booher, living with her parents on a farm west of this city, had an adventure Sunday evening which will cause her to be careful about being away from home after dark in the future. She had been to church with some friends who lived closer to town than she did, and when they went home Mary told them not to bother about going on with her as it was moonlight and she was not afraid. She started to walk the half mile to her home. About half way is a deserted cabin standing near the road, and just before she got there she saw what she supposed to be her dog in the road. She called it, but the animal sneaked away, and she then feared it was a wolf. She soon saw several others and as they came towards her she ran to the cabin and found that the door could be fastened. The animals tried to get in and scratched and gnawed at the door.

Miss Booher tried to make her folks hear, but the walls of the cabin effectually deadened the sound, and it looked as if she would have to make a night of it, but her father became alarmed at her continued absence, for he knew that she would not stay at the neighbors all night, and he started out with his son to see what had become of her. As they neared the cabin they saw the wolves, which fled at their approach, and they called to the girl, who answered and opened the door. She said that she was not frightened for she knew that they could not get in, and she was sure that her father would come after her before he would let her stay away from home all night. Wolves are plentiful in this country, but this is the first instance of their attacking a human being, and it is looked upon as being a bad sign; for if they are so bold now, they will become much worse when cold weather sets in.

### Pat Got There Just the Same.

Paddy Doolan went into a shop one day to buy eggs.

"What are eggs today?"

"Eggs are eggs today, Paddy."

replied the shop man, looking quite triumphantly at two or three lady customers who happened to be in the shop.

"Faith, I'm glad to hear you say so," replied Paddy, "for the last ones I got here were chickens."—[Brandon Buck saw.]

### ROUND VALLEY REDS.

How the Digger Indians are Being Civilized.

Suspected Road Agents Arrested—Another Stage Robbed.

One of the Colfax Train-wreckers May Make a Confession.

Chairman Stetson of the Traffic Association Finds It a Hard Task to Select an Executive Committee.

By Telegram to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] United States Agent Wilsey of the Round Valley Indian reservation is in the city. He has just put the finishing strokes to a transaction by which some \$75,000 in claims will be paid, the abstracts of the claims in question having been filed by him in Ukiah on his way down. The claims are mostly under the swamp and overflowed tract. Said Agent Wilsey: "All stock of settlers, mainly sheep, will be removed. There are 580 of these Digger Indians, as shown by the last census, and eighty-six of these are children attending school. We are going to build at once a new two-story school building to be a boarding and training school. Our object is to teach the girls how to sew and do all kinds of household work. As to the boys, we will teach them shoemaking, blacksmithing, harness-making and other trades. We also teach the boys to raise and handle live stock. We have from 300 to 400 acres cultivated this year. We will raise all the wheat necessary to supply the agency with flour, and almost enough cattle to supply it with beef."

### THE TRAFFIC ASSOCIATION.

Chairman Stetson Busy Selecting the Executive Committee.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] Chairman Stetson, of the Traffic Association is still busy endeavoring to choose an executive committee of eighteen so that all sections of the State shall be properly represented.

"I really have not done anything yet," said he this morning, "and I do not think I will have the names of the executive committee ready for publication before Friday. I have business in Waterville, where I demand my attention, and I will be obliged to go down there tomorrow. The task assumed by me is by no means an easy one, owing to the limited number of the committee. It seems almost impossible to have the various industries of the State satisfactorily represented on such a small committee. In my opinion there should be at least ten more on the committee. I propose to select a committee of business men who are well-known all over the State, and in whom the people have the fullest trust and confidence. When I have selected the committee, I will issue a call for an immediate meeting of that body. The committee will have to adopt a plan of action for the association to carry out."

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce today a resolution endorsing the newly formed Traffic Association of California was adopted.

### RIVERSIDE.

Contesting a Tax Levy—The Orange Growers' Bank.

RIVERSIDE, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] The action of the County Supervisors in levying a special tax for building the new courthouse will be contested in the courts. Leading San Francisco lawyers have been engaged to represent the interests of the citizens. The tax imposed makes the county rate higher than that of the State, and it is claimed on the part of people outside of San Bernardino that it will affect the material development of the colony and other enterprises. The Orange Growers' Bank opens for business tomorrow. The capital is \$250,000. The stockholders number seventy-five of the principal orange growers and business men of the valley.

The Methodist Society has decided to erect a new church at a cost of \$10,000. Work will begin at once.

Telegrams were received here today from Boston capitalists seeking information about the Temescal tin mines. This important industry is awakening interest throughout the entire East. Not a day passes without letters, telegrams and samples of pig tin being forwarded to political and financial centers beyond the Rockies. Massachusetts and Ohio have called for most of this information so far.

### ROAD AGENTS.

Two Suspects Arrested Near Redding—Another Stage Robbed.

REDDING, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] Soon after the stage robbery last night Under Sheriff Ross and Charles Overholser went down the river in search of the highwaymen and found two men in a field who are believed to be the parties wanted. Their tracks led to the river where it is thought after robbing the stage they took the Wells-Fargo boat and also the mail. This is the first time the latter has been touched. The loss is not known but is thought to be light.

### THE ODD FELLOWS.

Their Annual Encampment at the State Capital.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] The thirty-seventh annual session of the Grand Encampment of California Odd Fellows convened here this afternoon. Grand Patriarch Arthur Morse presided. Tomorrow night the local encampment will tender the visitors a grand reception. There will be a monster torchlight procession through the streets, followed by a concert and competitive drill, also a ball at the State Agricultural Pavilion.

At the afternoon session, after some routine business had been transacted, the encampment proceeded to elect grand officers, with the following result: Grand patriarch, James Leonard of No. 7; high priest, F. W. Armstrong of No. 8; senior warden, G. W. Savage of No. 1; scribe, Walter B. Lyon of No. 16; treasurer, George W. Lamont of No. 3; junior warden, George F. Roesch of No. 8; representative, A. P. Morse; trustees, W. H. Barnes, H. S. Winn, S. A. Weck.

### Priceo's Chamber of Commerce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon the committee appointed to draft a law for the regulation of pilots

at maritime ports reported in favor of the Farquhar Bill introduced in Congress in 1890, but with some amendments.

Capt. Merry introduced a resolution in favor of memorializing Congress to remit the duty on wreckage of United States vessels lost at Samoa and which were presented to the natives by this Government. The customs officials would not allow the wreckage to be admitted at this port for sale without payment of duty.

### CANNOT PAY ITS MEN.

An Oregon Railway Ordered Sold to Satisfy Debts due Employees.

CONVALLS, (Or.) Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] T. Egerton Hogg, receiver of the Oregon Pacific Railroad, appeared in the State Circuit Court today to show cause why he should not be removed. The petition was filed by employees, who have claims against the company amounting to nearly \$100,000. The judge ordered that the road be sold as soon as proper advices can be made and the proceeds applied to the payment of the employees. The attorney for the bondholders announced that he would file a petition for the removal of Receiver Hogg, accompanied by an assurance that all operating expenses and wages due the employees would be paid if the court would appoint a new receiver satisfactory to the bondholders. The matter was continued till Friday next.

### The Colfax Train-wrecking.

COLFAX (Cal.) Oct. 20.—Indian Sam, Joe Campbell and John Roberts were released last evening and are in town. Indian Sam says that Roberts had not confessed to wrecking the train on the 12th up to the time he left, but is telling many contradictory stories. Miss Mabel Ingersoll of Colfax went to Sacramento this morning to appear as a witness in the case. She claims to know nothing whatever concerning the wreck, and does not know why she has been summoned. It is thought here that if Al Roberts makes a confession it will be to her.

### Fitzsimmons Wants a Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—Bob Fitzsimmons, champion middle-weight pugilist, said today that the California Athletic Club would give a purse of \$5000 for a ten-round contest between Young Mitchell and himself. Fitzsimmons said that he would back himself to any amount to scrap Mitchell within ten-rounds at any weight the latter might designate.

### Horses Caused Their Death.

SOMONA, Oct. 20.—Charles Crofoot of Glen Ellen, who was kicked by a vicious stallion two weeks ago, died early this morning from the effects of his injury.

R. D. Moore, a resident of this place for the past twenty-five years, died in Santa Cruz of glanders contracted from a pet horse. The funeral took place this afternoon under the auspices of the Masons.

### Another Electric Railway.

LOS GATOS, Oct. 20.—The town Board of Trustees last night granted F. Chapelle and others a franchise to operate an electric railway through the town. This is part of the Haywards, San Jose and Los Gatos system. By its rate of fare from Los Gatos to Oakland will be 85 cents. The present rate is \$1.60.

### Order of Eastern Star.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 20.—The thirteenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of the order of the Eastern Star for California, convened today, R. J. Fletcher, grand patron, presiding.

### UNDER THE BAN.

A Catholic Prelate Denounces the Knights of Labor.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] A Montreal special says: "Archbishop Taschereau has issued in La Semaine, the religious organ of the church, a fierce article denouncing the principles enunciated in their Montreal addresses by General Master Workman Powderly and Mr. Wright as directly opposed to the latest papal encyclical, and asking Catholics to remain away from such leaders. The condemnation of the Knights of Labor, made by the church four years ago, was suspended. This caused a large number of Catholics to join the Knights. The Archbishop threatens to put the condemnation again in force."

### China Reduces Coal Oil Duties.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Department of State is informed by a dispatch from the United States Minister at Peking that the Chinese government has reduced the customs on imports of kerosene from 40 to 20 cents per case.

### FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Jackson Rhodes has been sentenced to imprisonment for life at San Quentin for the murder of David Shull at Greenwood, Mendocino county, May 23.

Sigfrid Safaeite, the famous singing-masquerade, whose pupils include Dereskes, Frank Novora, Mike Gross and other well-known singers, died in Naples.

Attachments were put upon the stock and assets of the Snook Glove and Manufacturing Company of Fayetteville, N. Y., Monday to the amount of \$6000.

The National Association of Carriage Manufacturers began its annual meeting at Cincinnati yesterday. Reports of committees presented in the evening.

One hundred and seventy-five boxes of opium were found yesterday on the steamer Lakme which arrived at San Francisco from Seattle on Saturday.

The United Typothetis of America began its fifth annual convention at Cincinnati yesterday, with over 3000 delegates present. The meeting was strictly private.

Cris Jepson, a mine owner at Rolla Hill, Nevada City, Cal., while hunting on South Yuba River, was mistaken for a deer by a companion and shot in the neck. It is feared the wound will result fatally.

At Burlington, Iowa, yesterday a suit to foreclose a mortgage for \$225,000 and interest since September, 1890, was instituted against the McCosh Iron and Steel Company. The appointment of a receiver is prayed by the creditors.

The great warehouse and 1000 barrels of wine of the Spear New Jersey Wine Company, at Passaic, N. J., were burned yesterday. The office and plant of the Passaic firm, located in the building, were also destroyed. Loss, \$100,000; insurance small.

At the annual meeting of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway at Denver yesterday, George Coppell, R. T. Wilson, Adolph Engler, W. Mortens, C. C. Beamish, J. Lowber Welch, Edgar Smith, Edward T. Jeffery and Edward C. Wolcott were chosen directors.

The Portland (Or.) Baseball Club leaves Portland October 27 for Monterey, where they will practice till the middle of November, when they will go to San Francisco to play a series of twenty-one games with the winners of the California pennant, to begin Thanksgiving day.

The nineteenth annual session of the American Public Health Association began at Kansas City yesterday. Delegates were present from all parts of the United States, Mexico and Canada. Chief Justice Horton of the Kansas Supreme Court in a paper on "The Necessity of More Stringent Legislation to Repress Emigration," said that emigrationism was one of the worst obstacles in the path of the progress of medicine.

There could be no doubt that the practice of emigrationism was a harm to any community, and they should be repressed by law.

### ITS WORK FINISHED.

Closing Sessions of the Methodist Ecumenical Council.

"The Outlook" the Topic of Discussion During the Day.

An Interesting Paper Read on "The Church of the Future."

The Delegates, Especially the Foreign Brethren, Enthusiastic Over Washington Hospitality and Their Treatment by the Press.

By Telegram to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] The twelfth and last day of the session of the Ecumenical Methodist Council opened this morning with Rev. Dr. Allen of England in the chair. After the adoption of resolutions for the appointment of a deputation of representatives of the conference to visit the Pan-American Congress at Toronto next year, and amendments to the resolution presented yesterday relative to the creation of an executive commission to make arrangements for the next Ecumenical conference, the topic of the day, "The Outlook," was taken up.

The first essay of the session was on the subject, "Christian Resources of the Old World," by S. Simon of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of Kent.

Mr. Simon said that the men who are in the closest touch with the masses of English people are impressed with the fact that while theories about the Christian religion will not move the masses, the living and personal Christ is regarded with increasing enthusiasm. Speaking of the resources of Christianity in the Old World, he said that the question is, are the ministers and workers of the English churches prepared to avail themselves of this condition of the public mind? The rapid diminution of the Evangelical party in the Church of England is an ominous sign. Turning from the Episcopal Church, the speaker unhesitatingly declared that the Evangelical non-Conformists of England were prepared to minister to the desire of the living Christ. In closing he said:

As Christians we welcome the assistance of every one who aims a blow at evil and shields that which is good. After all, our confidence chiefly rests in men and women who confess Christ as their master and believe that His gospel is the true remedy for the sins and sorrows of the world.

Bishop Keene said that he was much disturbed at the spirit of higher criticism shown, especially by British Wesleyans. He adjured the brethren to take the problem of evolution home with them and get down and look at it. There is nothing in the Darwinian theory if you knock the tune out of it. He advised his English friends to get rid of this doctrine of evolution, this bomb, lest it blow them up. This is the first great fissure in the Methodist faith, he said.

At the afternoon session a resolution was adopted stating that the conference views with deep concern the subtle and persistent efforts of the Roman hierarchy to make its power felt outside of its proper sphere in many lands, to the detriment of the state, the civil and religious liberties of the people; that the conference feels bound to remind members of the churches it represents of the sacred rights and privileges which they enjoy were won for them by the sacrifices and fidelity of their forefathers, and to call on them to unite with members of other Protestant churches in maintaining their great inheritance of freedom and handing-down the same intact to succeeding generations.

The last essay of the conference was on "The Church of the Future." It was read by Rev. Dr. Backus, editor of the New York Christian Advocate. He spoke of the evil portents of the present time, mentioning business dishonesty, lack of self-denial, extravagance in living, relinquishment in a large part by the church of the Sabbath to the world, and said:

But this is only the rose shadow and there are numerous tendencies of a hopeful character. The rise of new denominations seeking after spiritual piety may be expected. No union of



## NATIONAL TOPICS.

## Rum's Resignation in the Hands of Secretary Noble.

## Rumor That Elkins is to Become Secretary of War.

## Canada Knocking Loudly for Admission to the Union.

## Gen. Howard Reports on the Need of Big Guns and Forts to Protect the Seaboard—A New Torpedo Boat.

## By Telegram to the Times:

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] The Post says positively that the resignation of Pension Commissioner Rum is in the hands of Secretary Noble, to take effect November 30. Rum, who has just returned from Chicago, denies the story.

It is also stated that ex-Gov. Steele of Oklahoma is on his way here to succeed him.

New York, Oct. 20.—A Washington special asserts that the President has tendered the war portfolio to Stephen B. Elkins.

## ANNEXATION.

## Canadians Agitating the Question of Union with this Nation.

STONY POINT, (Ont.) Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] Despite the storm and knee-deep mud a mass meeting to agitate annexation to the United States was held here today with Israel Desjardins, who has been one of the most active Conservatives in the West, in the chair. A resolution endorsing political union was carried unanimously by a standing vote. There was intense enthusiasm as the speakers announced the urgent requests pouring in for meetings at many points.

## GEN. HOWARD'S REPORT.

## He Urges the Need of New Guns and Coast Fortifications.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] Gen. Howard, commanding the Department of the East, in his annual report devotes much space to coast defenses. Many fixed torpedoes and submarine mines have been constructed for New York, San Francisco and Boston, but new guns and mortars are needed for those points. He calls especial attention to the work of fortification on this side of the Atlantic by England and the augmenting of her fleet since we began to strengthen our navy, and speaks of the necessity of our having fortified points as a basis of proper defense at convenient intervals along our coast.

## Foster Going to Ohio.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Secretary Foster will leave Washington this evening for Ohio to remain until after the election. He is booked for ten speeches in behalf of the Republican cause. His first one will be at Findlay on Thursday night, being the main one of the series.

## Another Torpedo Boat.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Secretary of the Navy today signed a contract with the Iowa Iron Works of Dubuque, Iowa, for the construction of a torpedo boat similar to the Cushing for \$118,000. It is to be of 120 tons displacement and must be completed within a year.

## Missionary Societies Meet.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 20.—The Foreign Christian Missionary Society began its annual session here today with 500 delegates present. Almost the entire session was taken up with the reading of reports.

In the afternoon the first session of the General Christian Missionary Convention was held. D. R. Ewing of Des Moines, Iowa, is president of the society. His address was a feature of this session. He gave an interesting and exhaustive review of the work of the society.

CLEVELAND (O.), Oct. 20.—The forty-fifth annual meeting of the American Missionary Association began this afternoon, with fifty members present. The annual report of the Executive Committee shows gratifying progress. The aggregate means put into the association this year is \$482,419.

## A Bribed Editor.

QUEBEC, Oct. 20.—Pacard, late chief editor of *Le Lecteur*, the most prominent Liberal organ in Quebec, admitted today that he accepted from Contractor Armstrong the \$100,000 he is alleged to have received as part of the subsidy to the Chateaux road. Fifty thousand went to his own use and \$40,000 to Robitoux Lancelier, a prominent provincial Liberal, but he refused to say what became of the other \$10,000.

## Report of New Mexico's Governor.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—In his annual report to the Secretary of the Interior, Gov. Prince of the Territory of New Mexico, refers at length to the beneficial results which he thinks will accrue from settlement of the disputed Spanish and Mexican land claims by the Court of Private Land Claims recently organized. The Governor insists that from any point of view New Mexico is entitled to statehood.

## Athletic Coupons to be Paid.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The Athletic officers announce that the coupons on the company's guarantee fund notes will be paid November 1, on presentation at the National Bank of North America, also that holders of notes extending the same can receive the coupon interest as well as 1 per cent. cash premium at any time between now and that date, or whenever the notes are presented for extension.

## Wrecked by Giant Powder.

ATLANTON (Kan.), Oct. 20.—The office of the Missouri River Stone Company was blown to pieces this morning with giant powder. Twenty men working in a quarry near by were covered with debris, but no one was seriously hurt. As there was no powder in the office the explosion is supposed to be the work of discharged employees, and a reward has been offered.

## Ministers Resign.

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 20.—Dr. Lopez, Minister of Finance, has resigned.

MONTREAL, Oct. 20.—Minister of Finance Don Alcide Montoro, who tendered his resignation on Saturday, has withdrawn it and will remain in the cabinet.

## Grain Shipments by Canals.

MONTREAL, Oct. 20.—The Canadian canals will be open on Sunday to facilitate the transmission of grain to Montreal for steamships. It is likely the canals will be kept open on Sundays for the remainder of the season.

## DOMINION DEFENSES.

## The Imperial Government's Solicitude for Colonies.

OTTAWA, (Ont.) Oct. 20.—[By the Associated Press.] The home government has called upon the Governor-General to request the Minister of Militia to submit to His Excellency at the earliest possible moment, for transmission to Downing street, a report on the defenses and fortifications of Canada, which was prepared some time since under the supervision of his department. Lord Salisbury's administration is preparing military estimates and a revision of the whole imperial system of outlay for the purposes of offense and defense and requires this information from Canada as a part of the data for revision.

Maj.-Gen. Herbert made a general report to the imperial government on the militia system of the Dominion. The report which the Minister of Militia has been requested to transmit to London is a more elaborate one than this and covers far more ground with greater particularity of detail.

## Run on a Savings Bank.

YONKERS, (N. Y.) Oct. 20.—There is much excitement in the city tonight over a run on the Yonkers Savings Bank this afternoon. A report was started that the bank was in financial trouble and a rush was made by many depositors, and although the officers promptly repaid the report, at least 2,000 persons drew out their deposits, amounting to \$200,000.

## Natural Gas Explosion.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 20.—By an explosion of natural gas in the cellar of the Snaman building this morning five persons were injured, one fatally. The concussion was terrific, wrecking the lower floors of the structure and breaking windows a block away. The building was then burned; loss, \$75,000, fully insured.

## Great Fire in Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Fire which broke out after midnight in the Wall about Market, Brooklyn, has done \$200,000 damage and at 2 a. m. is not under control.

## A Dominion Statesman Very Ill.

OTTAWA, (Ont.) Oct. 20.—Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Secretary of State, was stricken with heart failure at the State Department today and his condition is serious.

## TWO NERVOUS GIRLS.

## A Desperate Fight with a Bear in the Dark.

MOUNTAIN HOME, (Ark.) Oct. 12.—[Correspondence.] William Roberts brings a story from the mountains north of this town of an adventure had by two girls which would have had a fatal ending had it not been for the nerve displayed by one of them. Mary Welles and Julia Roberts live on adjoining farms and are great friends. They are both typical Arkansas girls and can handle a rifle better than most men of their neighborhood, and are so confident of their power that they do not hesitate to tackle the biggest game to be found in the woods. They frequently go hunting and stay all night in the woods, camping where darkness catches them. It was during one of these hunting excursions that the adventure spoken of was had. They went away in the morning and told their folks that they might be gone over night, as they wished to get some wild turkeys, and they had to be on the ground early in the morning. They went to the place where they knew the turkeys were built, a blind and lay there waiting. During the night they were awakened by some large animal nosing around their resting place, and as it was too dark to see, Mary grabbed a club and made a stroke at the intruder, which proved to be a bear and which was hit on the nose by the blow. The animal was maddened by the pain and made a dash at the girls, grasping Mary by the arm. She screamed as she was being dragged away. Julia got her gun and ran close to the animal, placing the muzzle of the weapon, which was loaded with turkey shot, close to his left side and fired, tearing such a hole through the brute that he dropped dead in his tracks. With the exception of a few bruises and a slightly lacerated arm, Mary was unharmed, and the girls stayed at their posts, and in the morning were rewarded by bagging three fine turkeys.

## Rockefeller Worked a Field.

(Spokane Review.) An American millionaire, arrayed in overalls and in his shirt sleeves, working with his men an entire season plowing and planting his fields and cultivating and gathering in his crops, is something that would be hard for an Englishman of like means to realize, even though he were told it was done to restore health. In Europe the remedy that would have been considered proper would have been for the ailing millionaire to resort to athletic sports, outdoor exercise, a season at some spring noted for the medicinal properties of its waters. Not only such labor, but the toleration of such associations, would be regarded as shocking to the sensibilities of a gentleman. But John D. Rockefeller, who has a larger income than other men in America, did not view the matter in that light. The good sense that served him in amassing a prodigious fortune assisted him in finding a way that led to robust mental and physical health.

## Clear Case of Criminal Negligence.

(Stockton Mail.) Recently Charles Olsen shot and killed Mrs. Sophie Anderson in San Francisco. He got a revolver, put a cartridge in one of its chambers, went to Mrs. Anderson's home and proceeded to snap the weapon at her. When he reached the loaded chamber in the course of his snapping, of course the cartridge exploded and Mrs. Anderson was killed by the ball. On examination Judge Worley discharged Olsen on the ground that the shooting was purely accidental. If Judge Worley is correct in this action, it is very clear that the law recognizes no such thing as criminal negligence. Certainly if there ever was a well defined case of criminal negligence it is found in the deed of a man who first puts a cartridge in a revolver and on the same day snaps the weapon at a human being. If such an act would not justify a verdict of manslaughter it is hard to conceive of one that would. Charles Olsen should not have been discharged.

## Sport of Officers.

(Exchange.) With the growth of the navy there begins to be a difficulty in officering the new ships. When one of the white ships is recently in need of a junior watch officer half a dozen ensigns were suggested for the place, but the Navy Department on looking the young men over found that for various reasons not one of them was available for the duty. The same difficulty has made it necessary that officers with their tours of sea duty two-thirds finished should be sent to distant stations, a policy usually avoided by the department since it necessitates the expense of a long return journey by merchant steamer.

## THE SPORTSMAN'S MONTH.

## October Aids Bring the Tingle of Blood in the Veins.

(Forest and Stream.) The sweltering days are over. Cool nights have come. The harvest has been gathered, but the stubbles are sprinkled with scattered grain and the shocked but unhusked corn dots the fields. The thunder showers are less frequent. The apples are being carted in, and the elder mill gives out its well-remembered creak as old Dobbin goes her round.

Now, if you are the true, keen field sportsman, whose slumbers of late have been broken by grouse's whistling wings or the sound of the shrill whistle of the woodcock, you know your time has come. You take from the closet the breech-loader and look it over, throw it to your shoulder and glance along its barrels. The feeling is growing on you. How your heart thrills as you think of the bags last season and anticipate the present season's sport! And fortunate you are if you happen to have been country born or to have a friend or relative at an old country place where you are welcome in the autumn time. You know where to go for Bob White along the hedges by the old buckwheat field and yet so securely in the bushes that for woodcock down along the spring-holes in the alders, and for the lordly grouse beyond the berry patch and, bordering the sugar bush on the hillside facing the warm sun. The same old sugar bush! What a place it used to be in your boyhood for squirrels, gray and black and the little saucy chickadee.

You step forth in the crisp morning air and feel the pure ozone as it fills your lungs. What a breath you draw in! How your eye glitters as you glance over the landscape! The grasses are dead and dry at the tops, the soft maple leaves are turning to crimson and gold, and perhaps you may perceive a slight tinge of frost on that upper rail as you leap the fence. And your dog—ah! how he enters into the spirit of the occasion; with what frantic rushes he bounds here and there, away from you and back again, but watching your every motion. Let him go; he will be all right after you have crossed a field or two. Let him run and roll over and give tongue in the mad excitement of the first outing of the season.

The thrills at your heart are increasing, and will increase and keep on in volume and intensity until—but we will not anticipate. You cross the pasture down to that swale fed by the spring-voles. You know the place; the alders and bogs have been trampled through by the cattle in the hot days just past. Steady, Dash! He is making game. How carefully he stops, now almost crouching. He pauses. See the swift backward glance of the eye to assure him that you are ready. How your heart throbs as you see the jaws, with not a feather ruffled, you gently take it from him and pat his head, saying, "Good dog; good fellow." And if it is a woodcock, you hold it up by its long bill and gaze at that large, full eye, fast glazing in death, and mark its proud, cinnamon breast and soft velvet-streaked back. Or if a grouse, you lay it on its back on the palm of your hand and stroke the feathers from the black ruff around the neck down its plump breast, calculating with the judgment of a sportsman on its weight. How your breast is thrilling now! And as you hold it away in the recesses of your shooting coat you feel that the world is very grand and that you are one of the very fortunate ones "in it."

## LOVE IN A LOG CABIN.

The Queer Antics of Mrs. Emily Thompson. (San Francisco Call.) Ever since Mrs. Emily Thompson's Hort Maillard of San Rafael eloped a few months ago with her husband's hired man, William A. Ingram, the interest of the romance-loving section of the public has been strongly fastened on the little log cabin in the wilds of Humboldt county, in which the erring pair were known to be living, "the world forgetting, though not by the world forgot." Conclusive proof of the latter fact is afforded by the recent return of the Rev. J. M. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Grizzly Bluff, Humboldt county, who had succeeded in securing a temporary separation by pointing out to the pair that they were violating the State law against adultery.

Mrs. Maillard, however, rejected all the overtures made by the minister, looking to a return to her husband, with the assurance of full condonation. It was during this time that Mrs. Maillard confided to the preacher the story of her love for Ingram. She stated unequivocally that she did not love her husband, and that when she saw Ingram for the first time, she experienced a strong interest in the good-looking and successful man. She began to take walks which threw her in his way, and although at first he was unconscious of the conquest he had made, an accident determined a crisis in an instant. Mrs. Maillard dropped a handkerchief; both stooped to pick it up; one glance sufficed; the next moment she was folded unresistingly in Ingram's arms. Urged her to go with him to San Jose, where his sisters were employed as school-teachers, but Mrs. Maillard insisted on a longer flight.

Mrs. Maillard instructed the preacher to visit her husband and state that she would separate from Ingram temporarily in order to receive \$500.00, which she had given her husband out of her separate estate. The picture of Mrs. Maillard's children are hanging in the little cabin, but she declares her resolution never to leave Ingram, as the only happy days of her life have been those spent by his side.

## Explosion in Dynamite Mills.

ASBURY PARK, Oct. 20.—An explosion occurred today in the dynamite mills near Farmingdale. Grandin Vannote and three laborers were killed. The explosion was heard for miles.

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## Another Great Library.

## (San Francisco Bulletin.)

## One of the great library edifices of the country was dedicated a week ago in connection with Cornell University.

## Ex-President White some time ago gave his public library of 15,000 volumes to that institution. Henry W. Sage had given \$200,000 for a library structure and \$300,000 for the endowment of the library which has now about 100,000 volumes, while the structure has the capacity to house 400,000 volumes.

## In twenty years the library at Cornell had grown from 18,000 books to 100,000. It was estimated that in twenty-five years at the present rate of growth the library would tax the entire capacity of that great edifice.

## Among the notable men who took part in the dedication service was President Gilman of Johns Hopkins University.

## He reviewed the growth of collegiate and public libraries in this country at some length. He held that the task of the librarian was not half done when the books are collected and conveniently arranged. Every young person, clerk, mechanic, student or candidate for professional distinction, needed to be told what books to read and what ones to let alone. The great librarian was a born teacher, master of the art of adaptation, delighting "to bring the right book to the right person at the right time."

## The dedication of a library edifice which, with its endowment representing \$500,000, the gift of a single individual, is an event worthy of record. There have been a few larger endowments for similar purposes. But none of the younger universities have had the good fortune to secure such a munificent gift for a like purpose from a single individual.

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There was another immense crowd at Agricultural Park yesterday, the attendance far exceeding the opening day. The grand stand was literally packed, a large proportion of the visitors being ladies, while the number of carriages on the grounds was largely in excess of any previous occasion in the history of the association. Besides the local horsemen and lovers of the turf who were prominent on the course, many prominent horsemen from other counties were interested spectators, among whom were noticed L. J. Ross, Jr. of Ventura, also Jake Grief of Northridge, J. G. Hill and Leon Lehman of Buena Vista, Bonetel and T. Carrillo of Ventura, F. E. Davis and James Mack of Santa Paula, G. C. Welch, J. M. Garretson, A. W. Buell, Zack Grunsel, A. L. Den, A. H. Den, Pete Doyle, Senator

for two-year-olds, one-half mile dash. The famous light-weight jockey Sullivan was on the handsome two-year-old son of Griffin, Capistrano, whose owner came 2000 miles to see his horse win a fast half-mile dash. At the first attempt Capt. Merry caught them all bunched, and the four came around the turn head and head. Capistrano won the race by two lengths and was never asked to run his best. Before the race a protest was entered to the effect



An Independent Judge.

that C.P. and Capistrano were three-year-olds. At Santa Ana the same protest was entered against C.P., and the judges decided the race (won by C.P.) off and declared the pools off and refused to pay the purse to M. A. Forster.

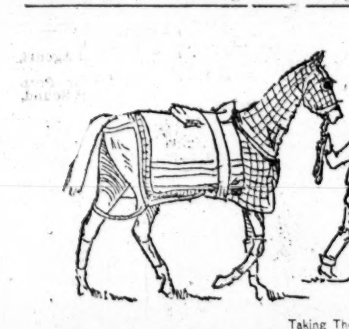


In the Front Row.

Russell Heath and John S. Bell, all of Santa Barbara, with hundreds of others who were interested spectators from the time the flag fell for the first heat until the last race of the day was run. The success of the meeting is now assured beyond all question of a doubt, and now that the great trotters Wanda, Silas Skinner and Frank M. are here, it is safe to predict that the free-for-all trot will be the greatest race of the year in California. If the horses are right and the day warm and still, 2:15 ought to be made.

**FIRST RACE.**  
The first race on the program yesterday, the unfinished 2:20 trot, was called at 1:30 o'clock, and as each horse had one heat to his credit, the event was watched with the greatest interest, and when the horses appeared on the stretch they were received with cheers.

It was evident from the first that Durfee was out for straight heats. He scored up with McKinney very fast and when the word was given he immediately took the lead and went around the first turn at a 2:10 gait, reaching



Taking Their Constitution.

the eighth pole in 10 1/2 seconds, with Lucy R. on his wheel. At this point McKinney made a break, and before he recovered and started for the flying leaders, he was fully 200 feet behind, but he trotted down the backstretch and around the last turn very fast, and at the five-eighths pole he was only one length behind Lucy R. Glendine two lengths behind. When they struck the homestretch he fought every inch of the way, for Lucy R. was making a wonderful finish, but the great son of Alcyon out-footed her, and he won the heat in 2:17 1/2, a phenomenal performance, considering his making a standstill break.

After the usual twenty minutes the drivers were ordered to harness up for another great struggle. The horses were sent off again after six false starts, and as in the first heat McKinney led to the one-eighth pole in 17 seconds, when he again broke and fell behind as in the last heat, but when he settled down he fought his way like a demon, collared Lucy R. at the five-eighths pole, and from there he trotted home easily and won the heat and race, a wonderful struggle, in 2:19 1/2.

**SUMMARY.**  
C. A. Durfee's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
W. Maben's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
McPherson's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
Dr. Wise's ch. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
Lacy's ch. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
Time—2:18 1/2, 2:20, 2:18, 2:17 1/2, 2:19 1/2.  
Pools sold: McKinney \$20, field \$8.  
The winner McKinney is a beautiful brown stallion, 4 years old, stands 15 hand and 3 inches, and weighs 1125 pounds. His action and mode of traveling are perfection, and his breeding is of the finest. His sire is the great stallion of 1890 that figured so prominently in the Nelson-Alcyon turf scandal. Alcyon was the greatest stallion of that year. McKinney's dam is by General Sprague; his dam by the greatest



of the great Hambletonian 10. McKinney is well backed for gameness and speed.

**SECOND RACE.**  
The second event was the postponed 3-year-old stakes and was without special incident. The race was won by the handsome son of Stamboul, Redondo.

**SUMMARY.**  
W. Maben's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
McPherson's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
C. A. Durfee's br. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
Lacy's ch. s. McKinney 2:21 1/2  
Time—2:25, 2:26, 2:24, 2:27, 2:25.  
Pools sold: Redondo \$20, field \$8.  
**THIRD RACE.**  
The next race was the Seaside stakes

Sprinters' stake, 3/4 of a mile heats: El Rayo, 110; Gumbo, 107; Lida Ferguson, 107.

Ladies' tournament: Entries to close with the secretary at track at 11 o'clock sharp.

Two-year-olds, trotting: J. C. Newton's Princeton, Elias William's Gold Mint, and Edgemont & Park's Harry Winchester.

**THE STOCK DISPLAY.**  
Fine Exhibits of Horses and Cattle—The following is an almost complete list of the stock entries:  
Horses—Division A. thoroughbred and standard: Stimpes, 4 years, H. M. Johnson, San Jacinto; Dr. Crawford, 4 years, J. M. Fugate, South Riverside; Wild Deer, 3 years, John Gries, Compton; Sinax, 2 years, Cy Mulkey, San José; Clifton, 2 years, W. W. Alward, South Los Angeles; colt, 2 years, H. M. Johnson, San Jacinto; Lew Martin, 1 year, Mrs. Charles Thomas, San Jacinto; colt, 1 year, John Gries, Compton; Charles T., suckling, Mrs. Charles

Thomas, San Jacinto; Empress, 4 years, B. L. Bragg, Los Angeles; Lida D., 4 years, D. L. Bragg, Los Angeles; Vada, 4 years, M. L. Eckles, Pomona; Lucy D. Shea, 3 years, John Gries, Compton; dam and two of her colts, Fanny Kimball, F. W. Alward, South Los Angeles; Nellie G. John Gries, Compton.

Class 2, dam with sucklings: Mira, Ed Dupuy, Los Angeles; Belle, Ed Dupuy, Los Angeles; Bella, Dr. Owens, Los Angeles; Leonor, C. Durfee, Los Angeles; Families: Gossiper, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; dam and two of her colts, Leonor, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles.

Standard bred horses: Stallion Ab Walt-ham, 4 years, Elias Williams, University; Gossiper, 4 years, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Prince, 3 years, C. Durfee, Los Angeles; Judd, 2 years, John Gries, Compton; Woolsey, 1 year, E. L. Mabery, Alhambra; Sir Richard, 1 year, L. Durfee, Los Angeles; Judd, 1 year, George Corson, Compton; McDonald, 1 year, Julius Fallandy, Los Angeles; Pride, 1 year, P. C. Newton, South Pasadena; Primo, 1 year, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Uncle Sam (stallion suckling), C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Lady, 4 years, J. Fallandy, Los Angeles; Etta Wilkes, 3 years, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Miss Mont, 1 year, George Corson, Compton; Rita, 1 year, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Rica, H. M. Johnson, San Jacinto; Minnie Ball, 2 years, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles; Maybird (suckling), George Corson, Los Angeles; Eneewaters, Ed Dupuy, Los Angeles; Girdle, Ed Dupuy, Los Angeles; Little Agnes, C. A. Durfee, Los Angeles.

Class 3, roadsters, stallions: Bucephalus, 4 years, W. W. Alward, South Los Angeles; Almontone, 4 years, J. M. Tyrer, Downey; Goldnut, 4 years, E. Williams, University; Calif, 4 years, Thomas Storey, Burbank; Huston, 3 years, George Corson, Compton; Cadi, 3 years, Thomas Storey, Burbank; Beeda, 3 years, Ed Dupuy, Los Angeles; Baby Johnson, 3 years, A. Johnson, Los Angeles; See R. Crippen, Y. M. C. A. Building, city, or E. H. Crippen, Pasadena.

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1771—Tobias George Smollett, novelist of "Roderick Random," died; born 1721.

1772—Samuel Taylor Coleridge, author, born in Devonshire; died 1834.  
1788—George Combe, phrenologist, author of "Constitution of Man," born; died 1868.

1806—Battle of Trafalgar and great British victory: Admiral Horatio Nelson was killed, and nearly 800 others were killed; over 700 wounded and prisoners; Edward Dickinson Baker was born in London, England, Feb. 24, 1811.

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Capital.....\$100,000  
Surplus.....118,000  
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## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

## PASADENA.

## A German Citizen Who Wants a Wife.

His Hopes at Present are Centered on Covina.

## One of the Numerous Lottery Games Exposed.

Distinguished Visitors on Friday—J. S. Mills at Denver—Brevelles on Many Subjects—Personal Notes.

One day last week a middle-aged German, whose name will not be disclosed, entered the Pasadena office of THE TIMES and asked to meet some one who was speaking his native tongue. George Schmidt was just the man for the occasion. The visitor told him he wanted an advertisement inserted in THE TIMES to the effect that he, a Christian German, would like to meet with a Christian German lady with a view to matrimony.

The advertisement was duly inserted, and yesterday morning a reply came from Covina. The letter was evidently from an employment bureau. It said that a woman at Covina was waiting for a chance to get married, and although she was not a German, it was claimed that she is "just as good." The advertiser was naturally highly elated over his success. He was at first inclined to visit Covina at once, but, on second thought, he decided to have a letter forwarded instead, in which he invited the Covina lady to make a trip to Pasadena. He was waiting for the letter to the effect that he, a Christian German, would like to meet with a Christian German lady with a view to matrimony.

The German advertiser is a man of decided convictions on matrimonial subjects. He says he has two brothers who secured wives back east through the advertising columns of the newspapers, and both he says, are good women. The gentleman adds that he stood in high favor in one of the churches of town and that the flock contained several ladies who favored his suit until it leaked out that he occasionally took a drink of wine or cider. This caused him to look elsewhere for a help-mate. Not long ago he succeeded in winning the affection of a Los Angeles damsel, but again did the fact of his not being a strict prohibitionist put an end to his suit.

The German gentleman's apparent means of support consists, he expresses it, in pressing wine. He says he finds plenty to do and that one of his most liberal patrons is a pronounced prohibitionist, who lives on the west side of town. His hopes for future happiness are now centered on Covina, and the wish is hereby expressed that they will be most happily realized.

A subscriber expresses a contrary opinion. "I am glad to see the decided stance taken by THE TIMES against lotteries and its denunciation of the habit some of its contemporaries have of printing long-winded advertisements of such fraudulent concerns, which are calculated to deceive the public, and are printed and mailed in strict violation of the law."

"There is no trick of trade or game of guile that the lottery people are not up to. A favorite scheme just now is to make announcements through the press that certain well-known and reliable individuals have been enriched by recent ventures in the lottery and agency business. They range for the publication of announcements that prominent citizens, about whose character or standing there can be no question, have become millionaires by winning tempting fortunes which will not only place them above the danger of future poverty, but act as a golden bait to draw all their friends into the same lucky lottery. Of course, this cannot be done without collusion and fraud on the part of those who are supposed to have received the big prizes, and it is the duty of every citizen to find out just such a scheme as this, and to refuse to be deceived by it. The lottery is a temptation to the poor, and a temptation to the rich. It is a temptation to the poor, because it offers them a chance to win a fortune without any effort on their part. It is a temptation to the rich, because it offers them a chance to win a fortune without any effort on their part."

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DISTINGUISHED VISITORS. Dr. William Channing received a letter yesterday to the effect that the members of the Library Association will visit Pasadena on Friday. The association's special train will arrive here early Friday morning and the visitors will remain overnight in the afternoon. It is likely that the Board of Trade will take steps to provide for the proper entertainment of this distinguished body of men. Nothing could be more suitable or pleasing than a drive about town and to the neighboring points of interest.

DONATIONS FOR INDIAN CHILDREN. On Sunday last the Sunday-school of the Baptist Church of this place donated \$10 toward Miss Fleming's work among the Indian children of Coahuila Valley. Any donations may be addressed to Miss Fleming at the above town, which is in San Diego county. Almost anything will be welcome at this time, such as clothing for children, material for clothing which will afford the children opportunity to learn to make their own garments, pieces for comforts, cardboard mottoes or plain cardboard. Small packages can be sent by mail.

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The County Clerk was authorized to appoint a deputy to attend to the Soldiers' Home affairs.

The County Surveyor was instructed to establish the grade of the new Court-house grounds, and the following bids for the work of grading and graveling the same were opened: James Strickland, 80 cents per cubic yard; P. J. Richmond, 88 cents; C. Leonard, 89 cents; Conrad Scheerer, 94 1/2 cents; M. C. Marsh, \$1.50.

It was ordered that the Michigan avenue bridge in the La Canada road district be repaired.

## IN SOCIAL SPHERES.

[News intended for this department should be furnished promptly, and sent accompanied by the name of the contributor, and written briefly and plainly, giving the facts without needless verbiage.]

THE FOLLOWING EXCELLENT PROGRAMME will be rendered tomorrow evening at Turner Hall at the entertainment given by the Pythian Sisters:

Orchestra. Piano duet "Galop Brillant" (Killing)—J. H. Bremer and Mrs. C. Browning. Vocal duet—The Misses Santa Cruz. The Baldwin children. Solo, "Love's Sorrow" (Shelley)—Mrs. L. P. Collette. Violin solo, Prof. Tomaschewsky. The Baldwin children. Piano solo, "Bubbling Spring" (Riviera)—Mrs. N. C. Browning. Recitation—Tom Barnes. Duet—The Misses Ross.

Miss George Bixby of Orange was in the city yesterday.

The Concordia Club gave one of their popular balls last evening.

Miss Houser of 926 South Hill street will entertain a party of friends this evening.

Mrs. Peter Potts of Downey avenue entertained a company of ladies last night after dinner in honor of her birthday.

There will be a series of light operas given at the Illinois Hall every Saturday night during the coming season, under the supervision of Prof. Payne.

The young ladies of St. Paul Guild are making elaborate preparations for their annual bazaar, which will be held at the Parish Hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 11, 12 and 13. The fancy articles and the French paper work are exquisite, and a large sale is anticipated.

Miss Lottie Stanley was tendered a farewell party one evening last week at the residence of Mrs. M. Dillener on Newhall street. Music, games and refreshments entertained the large company of guests most delightfully. Miss Stanley has since left for the East, accompanied by Mrs. William Allison of Artesia.

The Whittier Amateurs presented the domestic three-act drama *Comrades* last Friday evening before a crowded house in the Whittier public school building. The following characters assumed their various roles in good style: Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Denny, Miss Birdie Farrell, Messrs. J. Harry Foley and Charles H. Farrell.

ROY CIVILLE entertained a party of fourteen young ladies and gentlemen last Monday evening at his home, corner Griffin avenue and Patrick street in celebration of his 15th birthday. The lovely decorations, the charming hospitality extended by the gracious young host, assisted by his parents, the games and dancing, made the affair exceptional in the way of enjoyment.

CARDS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED announcing the marriage of Miss Alice Henderson, formerly a resident of East Los Angeles, and Herbert H. Matteson. The wedding occurred on Tuesday, October 13, at Decatur, Iowa, and Mr. Matteson will be at home after November 1, at Great Falls, Mont. The bride has hosts of friends in this city who will offer warmest congratulations.

## DIED.

CLINE—In this city, October 20, William B. loved husband of Nellie and father of W. B. and H. C. Cline, aged 72 years. Notice of funeral hereafter. San Francisco papers please copy.

HEATH—Joseph Heath, at her mother's residence, Pico Heights, October 20, 1891. Funeral October 23, 9 a.m. Burial private.

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## LINES OF TRAVEL.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RAILWAY.**  
(Santa Fe Route.)  
IN EFFECT SUNDAY, AUG. 16, 1891.

12:30 p.m.	S. Jacinto & S. Berdo	9:30 p.m.	for Pasadena.	Los Angeles
	(Temecula & San Juan		9:50 a.m.	9:10 a.m.
10:00 a.m.	Cinto via Orange &	9:52 p.m.	9:50 a.m.	9:10 a.m.
	East Riverside.		9:05 a.m.	9:19 a.m.
9:15 a.m.	Santa Anita	9:50 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:05 a.m.
9:05 p.m.	Santa Anita	12:10 p.m.	11:00 a.m.	11:05 a.m.
9:05 p.m.	Santa Anita	9:00 p.m.	12:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
9:05 p.m.	Santa Anita	9:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
9:05 p.m.	Escondido via C St Line	12:10 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
9:15 a.m.	Redondo Beach	9:52 a.m.	9:05 p.m.	9:25 p.m.
9:30 p.m.	Redondo Beach	9:55 p.m.	9:10 p.m.	9:30 p.m.
9:35 p.m.	Redondo Beach	9:48 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.
9:40 p.m.	Redondo Beach	9:50 p.m.	11:25 p.m.	10:30 p.m.
9:50 p.m.	Redondo Beach	9:51 p.m.		12:15 a.m.
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10:00 a.m.	East Riverside			
			17:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
			8:45 a.m.	9:37 a.m.
			9:15 a.m.	11:12 p.m.
			9:30 p.m.	9:47 p.m.
			9:30 p.m.	9:17 p.m.





## CITY-BRIEFS

The regular monthly inspection of the police force was held yesterday morning.

The prohibitionists will meet at Old Good Templar's Hall, No. 208 North Main street, today at 10 o'clock for the afternoon session.

The electric cars stopped running for a while late yesterday afternoon, probably caused by some slight mishap at the power-house.

The baseball match at San Diego Sunday, between the Los Angeles Athletic Club nine and the Schiller & Murthas of that city, was won by the Los Angeles boys by a score of 4 to 1.

George Gerkins, a saloon-keeper who forgot that there was such a thing as the Sunday-closing ordinance, was fined \$20 by Justice Owens yesterday for violating the law last Sunday.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for Charles G. Bennett, O. L. Davis, E. Harris, A. M. O'Brien, E. G. Hopkins, S. P. Estell.

The City Council will meet in Committee of the Whole this morning at 10 o'clock, for the consideration of various matters that have been referred from time to time in regular session.

Coroner Weldon yesterday received a telegram from Acton, saying that Jack Talbot, a miner, had been found dead in his cabin in Mint Canyon. The Coroner left last evening to investigate the case.

In Justice Austin's court yesterday the defendants in the negro "crap" game, that was raided last Saturday, were called, and one of the cases was started, but was continued before any evidence was taken.

August Holmstrom, a plasterer at work on the new Stinson residence, on Figueroa street, was badly injured yesterday by the falling of a scaffold. He was taken to the receiving hospital for treatment, and afterward removed to his home.

The Colored Mexican Colonization Company met again last night in the African Methodist Episcopal Church, but for some mysterious reason its secretary, N. H. Shuten, failed to put in his appearance. The scheme has doubtless been knocked groggy, which speaks very creditably for the good sense of the colored citizens of Los Angeles.

Sam Hamilton, the lawyer who amused himself a few weeks ago by smashing Officer Shannon, one of the guardians of the city's peace, over the head with a heavy walking-stick, and almost demolishing one of his ears, was tried and convicted in Justice Owens's department of the Police Court yesterday of battery. He will be sentenced tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The players in the recent billiard tournament, with the exception of Tyler, the champion, will meet tonight at the Royal Billiard Hall to decide the remaining prizes. Freese will play Slater and Kennedy and in the event of winning both games will tie the Colby for second place. Tyler has accepted Borden's challenge to play for the championship and will meet him next week.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

**The Weather.**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20, 1891. At 5:30 a. m. the barometer registered 30.06; at 5:00 p. m. 30.04. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 65° and 92°. Maximum temperature, 84°; minimum temperature, 62°. Partly cloudy.

Dewey's photos will please you.  
Lunch room open 12 to 2 o'clock at Woman's Exchange, 223 South Broadway.

Nobody makes finer photographs than Burdick & Co., No. 221 South Spring street.

One can get a very fine meal at the new Koster Cafe, No. 149 South Spring street, for 25 cents, or even less.

The Los Angeles Mission have moved to No. 125 South Main street. Gospel meetings continued noon and night as usual.

Excellent lunches every day this week at the Orphans' Fair, from 11 to 2 o'clock, and supper from 5 to 8 p. m. No persons asked to purchase anything. New Armory Hall, Broadway.

The ladies of the Fifteenth Street M. E. Church hold an apron fair Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, at the corner of Fifteenth and Main streets. Supper served from 6 to 8-25 cents. Chicken pie one evening. Everybody invited.

A brilliant meteor passed over the city night before last, and by its glare an observer could plainly see that the new grocery in the Potomac Block, No. 213 South Broadway, W. Chamberlain & Co.'s, was rapidly establishing itself as a fine store.

The scientific explanation of the phenomena is that the goods in every department are greatly superior to those ordinarily carried, while the prices asked for them are really no higher.

Quick time and low rates Eastward. Only 3 days and 20 hours Los Angeles to Chicago by the Santa Fe route. Time reduced to all Eastern points. Pullman drawing room and tourist sleeping cars daily. Special tourist car excursions to Boston and intermediate points weekly. Santa Fe excursion conductors accompany passengers through. No extra charge for attendance. Particular attention given to west-bound passengers, tourists, colonists and settlers. Tickets from all points in the East and Europe on application to Santa Fe ticket office, No. 129 North Spring street, Los Angeles.

## PERSONALS.

E. A. Cordero and wife of Santa Barbara are registered at the Nadeau.

H. W. Bloom and wife of San Francisco will sojourn at the Nadeau for a few days.

Miss Ida C. Hanny and Miss Martha H. Mellard of New York have apartments at the Nadeau.

Edward Bailey and wife and J. S. Hanley and wife, all of Philadelphia, are guests at the Hollenbeck.

John Howard, a well-known voice teacher from New York, has arrived in the city and will make his future home here.

Matt Flynn, a well-known Arizonaan, at present one of the officials of the Yuma penitentiary, is stopping at the Nadeau.

George W. Bart, William W. Reynolds, W. T. Minissek and J. R. Harrison are among the New Yorkers registered at the Hollenbeck.

Among those registered at the Ramona are the following: I. A. Day, Ventura; E. Bonfoly and wife, Santa Barbara; J. W. McCammon, Boston, Mass.

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Call at Hawley, King & Co.'s and see the new McMurray & Fisher sulkeys just received in time for the fair.

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Take Santa Fe to Santa Anita station, where Robinson, Detusch & Co.'s bus meets all trains for foot of trail and furnishes burros and mules for the ascent.  
A. G. STRAIN.  
P. O. address, Sierra Madre, Cal.

## THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE.

First Day's Session of the State Convention.

All of the Proceedings Conducted with Closed Doors.

Public Reception to Col. Polk at the Pavilion.

Speeches by Mayor Hazard, State President Cannon, Col. Polk and Others—The Programme for Today.

The first State Convention of the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union was called to order in Turnverein Hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, with about 200 delegates in attendance from all parts of the State.

The proceedings were secret, and only members were admitted. A door-keeper was stationed at the entrance and the "mystic knock and password" were necessary to secure admittance.

The business was of a routine character. President Marion Cannon calling the meeting to order, after which the chaplain invoked a blessing, when the roll was called, and the hearing of reports of officers, the appointment of committees, etc., was proceeded with.

Col. Polk was present during the session, and took part in the proceedings. William Penn Rogers offered the following resolution, the original draft of which, in the handwriting of H. H. Boyce, is now in the possession of Turnverein Hall, and the same was adopted:

Resolved, that the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union in convention assembled hereby emphatically indorse the Ocala declaration without reserve, especially emphasizing the sub-treasury and railroad policies of that platform.

Resolved, that State President Cannon be requested to telegraph this action to the State conventions of our order now in session in Florida, Colorado and Kansas with our fraternal greeting.

President Cannon then read his annual address, following the growth of the order from its infancy to the present time, and giving a history of what had been accomplished.

At the conclusion of the reading the convention adjourned for dinner, and at 2 o'clock again met, when routine business was resumed and continued until 5 o'clock, when an adjournment was had until today.

## AT THE PAVILION.

A Public Reception Tendered to Col. Polk—The Evening's Exercises.

The informal reception, under the auspices of the Southern California Farmers' Alliance, last night at Hazard's Pavilion, in honor of Col. L. L. Polk, national president and chief exponent of the new party's principles, and State President Marion Cannon, was largely attended.

H. C. Dillon, Esq., presided, and the stage was occupied by Mayor Hazard and wife, the officers of the order and a number of ladies and gentlemen. There was a large attendance and deep interest was taken in the proceedings.

The programme was opened with music by Meine Bros. orchestra.

The chairman, Mr. Dillon then stepped to the front and made a few remarks and announced the next thing on the programme as the national hymn, "America," by Henri Fairweather, who invited the audience to join, and quite a large percentage did so.

Mrs. E. P. Tompkins recited the "Ode to Our Flag," in good voice and style and was roundly applauded.

The chairman stated that as the Alliance people have not yet been given the freedom of the city, he thought it would not be out of place to call the chief executive of the great metropolis to the front and the Mayor promptly responded.

In his address of welcome Mr. Hazard paid the new party a high tribute and it is of the opinion that it will be of great benefit to the whole country as it will be the means of bringing out a number of people who never pay any attention to politics and leave the great questions of the day in the hands of a few trained politicians, tricksters, "smoothies."

In looking around the audience before him he found but few of this class. His hearers are a different class of people, men who have remained at home too long.

P. F. Durly delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the county farmers' organization as president of that organization. He looks on the movement as the greatest that has been started for a number of years and thinks it cannot fail to do much good.

He welcomed the distinguished guests in a few well chosen words and hoped the delegates from the North would be long enough after the convention adjourns to see the beauties of this country.

After music by the orchestra Rev. W. C. Bowman delivered an address. He firmly believes that the new party will be the means of reforming the two old parties. He is glad to see the ladies are taking an active part in the new move.

Mrs. W. E. Beeson gave "The Star Spangled Banner," after which an address was delivered by E. M. Hamilton and the orchestra played the "Concert Waltz."

Henri Fairweather sang, "Tis the Rosy Dawn of Freedom," after which Col. L. L. Polk was introduced and responded to the welcome accorded him in a few words. The distinguished visitor was loudly applauded, and was given a very cordial welcome. He is convinced from what he has seen on the Coast that this is to become the great industrial empire of the world. He paid Los Angeles a high tribute also, and looks upon it as one of the most enterprising cities in the Union. This country is in the midst of a mighty revolution, peaceful and bloodless he hopes, but the mighty hosts are marching from one end of this mighty land to the other, and the battle will be fought under the motto, "Equal rights to all and special favors to none." The new party is simply carrying out the doctrine of Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln, two men who were nearer the people in doctrine than any two men who ever lived. His people are endeavoring to carry out the wishes of those great men, and he believes that they will succeed.

When the people see capital walking into the halls of Congress and the State Legislatures and dictating the laws by bribery, if necessary, then it is time for the people to rise up in their might and call a halt. The industrial organizations propose to secure equal rights for every man in the land if such a thing be possible. He closed his remarks by thanking all who assisted in making the reception a success by their presence and otherwise.

Marion Cannon was introduced and made a short response to the welcome tendered him in conjunction with the president of the National Alliance. The band then played "America" and the exercises were at an end.

The State convention will continue

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

its sessions at Turnverein Hall this morning and evening. Col. Polk will deliver his great speech on the "Issues of the Day as Presented by the Alliance Forces About to Culminate the People's Party," at Hazard's Pavilion, to which the public are cordially invited.

The People's party convention will be held in the Pavilion tomorrow morning.

## A VIGOROUS PROTEST.

The Grand Army Must Not be Dragged Into Politics.

The following vigorous protest fully explains itself:

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—We, veterans of the Union army and navy, and members of the Grand Army of the Republic, emphatically object to any and all attempts, coming from what quarter they may, to divert this patriotic and non-partisan organization to political ends, or to use it as a tender to the Farmers' Alliance or any other party.

We also deny the claim attempted to be set up that the Grand Army in Los Angeles, as an organization, tendered any reception to President Polk, of the Farmers' Alliance, or showed him any other honor as an organization. Whatever may be our individual opinions or politics, it would be manifestly improper for the Grand Army of the Republic to depart from its long-established tenets by doing such a thing. This is not a question of courtesy, but a question of principle.

C. H. Haskins, Commander Stanton Post, No. 53.  
F. S. Woods, Post Commander Gen. Crook Post, No. 154.  
Sam Kutz, Adjutant Frank Bartlett Post, No. 6.  
John Brooker, Past Post Commander Dan Bidwell Post.

N. Sherman, Frank Bartlett Post, No. 6.  
W. H. Shinn, Past Commander John A. Logan Post, No. 139.  
E. Munsey, Past Commander Geleick Post, No. 106.  
J. S. Buskirk, Past Commander Frank Bartlett Post, No. 6.

They're Hard Enough to Hurt.  
[Washington Star.]

It is said that a plant discovered in California produces boiled eggs. Some of the "professors" might find it comfortable and economical to conduct first performances in that vicinity.

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Charged with Embezzlement.  
A complaint was filed in the Township Court yesterday afternoon by Harry H. Smith of San Francisco charging Marco Hellman of this city with the embezzlement of \$1154, the money of the firm of Cotton, Bell and Co., for whom he acted as agent recently. This firm represents the Union Assurance Society and General Assurance Company of London on the Pacific Coast.

The complainant, Smith, is that firm's special agent, and has been sent down to assume charge of young Hellman's agency here, until a new agent is appointed. It is alleged that the money referred to was collected on premiums, but not accounted for. Hellman could not be found last night, and it is not known whether he knew a complaint had been filed against him or not. The action of the agent caused considerable surprise, as the young man has ample means to meet any indebtedness against him.

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the East, who had sold all the bonds. Irrigation bonds were good in London. There is no trouble in selling irrigation bonds, said he, in the right direction, although, not, perhaps, in San Francisco.

The chairman observed that if the bankers of San Francisco, the representatives of California capital, do not favor the bonds, it is hard to believe that outside capitalists will favor them. The object was to educate the San Francisco bankers.

A recess was taken until the afternoon.

#### Afternoon Session.

Reassembling for the afternoon session Col. Wells, president of the Chamber of Commerce, addressed the convention, expressing great appreciation of the importance of the convention's work.

Chairman Nance formally tendered his resignation. Gen. Wiley moved that the resignation be not accepted.

The motion was unanimously carried. The election of a permanent Legislative Committee was the next business.

Mr. Rodgers of Rialto asked permission to speak. He said that what capitalists most feared was that there would be too much meddling with the law.

He had told such objectors that contracts would not be legislated away or endangered. The bonds are contracts and are as solid as any contracts can be made.

Legislation can only affect future bonds. The speaker thought that previous speakers had exaggerated the danger to the bonds in case their efforts had miscarried. The bonds would have been solid all the same.

If we make mistakes our bonds are not in danger. "We are," said he, "going to stand by the bonds of our own districts, and by each other as far as we can."

[Applause.] There is no more solid investment than irrigation bonds. The Legislature cannot hurt them. The framers of this law is a wise legislator.

The law does not need much tinkering. Gen. Wiley, while indorsing most of the last speaker's remarks, still thought a committee should be appointed.

The motion was carried with but one dissenting vote.

The appointment was deferred until the evening session.

On the question of marketing bonds, M. L. Wicks said he had been trying to market bonds in the East and Europe.

He thought the San Francisco capitalists were becoming educated on the question. It was, in his opinion, absolutely necessary to obtain the cooperation of the San Francisco bankers. At the recent banker's convention, he noticed a statement made that the law was being taken to the Supreme Court of the United States.

He did not think there was any foundation for this statement, or that the Supreme Court would go back on a State court in such a matter.

If Mr. McDonald's suggestion, to get the San Francisco bankers to pool and buy \$1,000,000 of bonds was carried out, it would be a great thing. He had recently received a letter from London, offering to take \$500,000 bonds.

W. S. Green reported that he had sold \$350,000 bonds in San Francisco. He thought perhaps that altogether there was \$1,000,000 of the bonds held in the State. It might be well to ascertain the exact figures for the bonds held outside capitalists, who say: Why don't you take some of the bonds yourselves?

A delegate said that a favorite trick of the opposition was to claim that no bonds had actually been sold.

H. W. Robinson said he was glad to hear that so many bonds had been sold, as certain interested parties had been stating that unless an expensive examination—blood money, he calls it—was made by a certain "official" lawyer and engineer the bonds could not be sold.

As far as his district was concerned, they had found no necessity for such examination.

The chairman said that Mr. Robinson evidently referred to the movement which he—the chairman—had placed under way, and which he was prepared to defend. There was no justice in calling the charge for examination "blood money."

The districts were not forced to submit to examination. It had helped some districts to sell their bonds. As an instance, the Perris district had let a large contract, to be paid for in bonds at par, and Los Angeles banks had agreed to advance money thereon.

Gen. Wiley also defended the special attorney and civil engineer plan as a matter of economy, saving the employment of separate men to represent each possible buyer.

Mr. Rodgers suggested that a committee of three be appointed to prepare a little pamphlet giving the main advantages of irrigation bonds, and have it signed by as many bankers as possible.

The motion carried, and the Chairman M. L. Wicks, L. L. Rodgers and W. S. Green.

Mr. Green, referring to Mr. Robinson's remarks, explained again the difficulties and objections which he had to overcome in San Francisco. There was, he said, a powerful combination of large land-owners opposed to the district system and they had influenced the banks.

C. C. Wright said that in view of the fact that the opinion of experts would be accepted by capitalists and bankers, and by them referred to outside inquirers the system of saving the employment of separate men to represent each possible buyer.

The secretary read a statement showing that, previous to the last convention, there had been sold \$1,672,000 of bonds and about \$900,000 since the bankers of San Francisco had assumed a more favorable attitude.

M. L. Wicks suggested a vote of thanks be tendered the bankers of the State and that a committee be appointed to cooperate with the Investigating Committee of seven appointed by the recent banker's convention. The motion was made and carried.

The members of the committee appointed were the chairman, the secretary, L. L. Rodgers, C. C. Wright, J. P. Jones, Mr. Rowan and W. S. Green.

On motion of Mr. Rodgers, Judge Robinson of San Bernardino and M. L. Wicks were considered as members of the convention and invited to take part in discussions.

In regard to the progress made by the districts, the chairman reported that Alessandro was constantly laying new pipe. Other verbal reports were made as follows:

Citrus district had all the water needed, but did not yet own it as a district. Bonds had not been sold, but contracted with the Semi-tropic Land and Water Company for work. That company had not yet made much progress. Mr. Merrill had been to Europe and reported that capitalists only wanted to buy bonds "by the mile."

East Riverside has more water than is needed and the bonds all sold.

Grapeland has had three suits in the courts and defeated them. No bonds had been sold, but a contract made for water.

Rialto has bought 1000 inches of water for \$500,000 bonds. Three hundred inches have already been delivered. The pipe was also to be laid for water.

Murrieta has not made such rapid progress as was anticipated. The Santa Rosa Mountain watershed has been found insufficient. No bonds have yet been issued. They were now thinking of getting water from the Pala ranch and were waiting for some enterprising capitalist to buy the ranch,

build a dam and sell them the water. It is too big a job for the Murrieta district. They saw no other source of supply. Bear Valley is too far away.

Perris has recently had full supply devoted to it in the press. The contract is let, payable in bonds at par, for completing the distributing canals.

Big Rock Creek has issued \$400,000 bonds, and irrigated all the district except about 2000 acres. Bonds to the amount of \$183,000 have been exchanged for right-of-way, and so forth.

The chairman asked whether bonds of this district had been offered at 50 cents at the dollar.

Mr. Tilghman of Big Rock Creek district said he had not heard of it, but Rogers remembered that such was the case, and that it had spoiled the sale of \$900,000 bonds in Chicago.

The chairman said that such action injured the credit of all districts. Offerings at low figures have frequently spoiled the sale of large blocks of bonds.

Will S. Green also insisted on the importance of keeping up the price of bonds.

Orange Belt district had bought water for bonds at par. No bonds had yet been sold.

Vineyard district contains only 4500 acres. An engineer had estimated about \$50,000 as necessary to purchase water and build canals. Bonds were then sold—\$10,000—at par for water right and \$40,000 for canals.

About fifteen miles of vitrified clay pipe is laid. The engineer's estimate had been found too low. They have tunneled about 300 feet after reaching the water supply. An election is called for October 31 to vote \$12,000 more bonds to complete the work.

Chairman Wells of the Chamber of Commerce invited the delegates to visit the display at Hazard's Pavilion.

At 4 o'clock, as the Board of Trade needed the room, the convention adjourned, to meet again at 8 p. m.

#### Evening Session.

On reassembling at 8 o'clock the chairman announced the names of the legislative committee as follows: W. S. Green, Gen. Wiley, C. C. Wright, F. G. Rowan, L. N. Rogers.

Reports of progress from districts were continued.

Anaheim carried through its organization after many difficulties, then a number of suits were brought which have so far been won and the district is now ready to get to work.

The bonds have been advertised for some time and some bids received, none of which have been accepted. The outlook is now good for the sale of \$200,000 bonds. The railroad companies have given considerable trouble. There are 32,000 acres in the district assessed at \$1,300,000, the issue of bonds being \$800,000. They hope to have to sell only \$200,000. A great trouble was to segregate the real and personal railroad property.

W. S. Green said the Southern Pacific was one of the best friends of the irrigation districts and that C. P. Huntington had written a most excellent letter in favor of the bonds. Col. Crocker had told the speaker that the company wanted to encourage the districts.

Central district voted \$750,000 bonds; has sold \$480,000 and nearly finished a first-class irrigation system.

Crab district will probably let contracts in a few days.

Tulare district includes nearly 40,000 acres. They have voted \$500,000 bonds; sold \$50,000 for cash and exchanged some for work. The district is assessed for \$1,498,000 and includes the town of Tulare. The ditch carries 500 feet of water. They are now trying to sell more bonds. The railroad company has not yet paid its taxes in the district.

A discussion here arising as to the propriety of assessing railroad franchises, a motion was put by W. S. Green and carried that a committee be appointed to make an estimate of the improvements only should be assessed.

Mr. Wright called attention to the fact that the law provided for this and railroad exceptions were no exception.

A question arising as to whether water might be sold outside of a district, the opinion of Mr. Wright, the framers of the law, was asked. He said he was not prepared to give an off-hand opinion, as the question had never arisen up North, where water is plentiful.

It was suggested that a good way to make water go further was to raise the assessment on land and reduce it on improvements. In this manner more would get more and brick blocks less.

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Poso district had sold a few bonds and has done work to the extent of about \$40,000, but exhaustion of funds had caused a temporary stoppage. Arrangements were being made for speedy resumption.

Kern and Tulare districts are about to contract for the construction of a large amount of work.

Madera has voted bonds and got into the courts. It has a big fight on hand, and is opposed by \$50,000,000 capital. A decision is expected daily from the Supreme Court. The large land owners want to enhance the value of their property by the labor of others. They threaten, if beaten, to take the question to the Supreme Court of the United States. The district is an empire, containing 305,000 acres.

Alta district contains 135,000 acres, and has the immense amount of water of one inch to the acre. The bonds are being largely bought at home by parties who want the ditches extended. The Fresno and Tulare authorities had assessed the district for \$75,000 and the matter was being fought in the courts on an agreed case. It is an important question as, if the counties win, every canal in the State can be taxed.

Sunset district is the largest in the State, containing nearly 400,000 acres of fine level land in the western portion of Fresno county. Surveys have been made and the cost of a system is estimated at \$1,800,000. Bonds to the amount of \$2,000,000 have been voted. A Scotch syndicate has offered 90 cents on the dollar for the whole issue of bonds and wants to construct the entire system.

Selma district is assessed at about \$2,000,000. Bonds have been voted down twice. The land is very sandy, absolutely worthless without water and very valuable with it. A lot of moss-backs oppose irrigation. Another call has been made. There has been much quarrelling over the question, families being divided among themselves.

Modesto and Turlock contain 270,000 acres and are getting along well in the world on the Tuolumne River, 115 feet in height, to cost nearly \$500,000. About \$1,000,000 bonds have been sold for cash. Modesto district has won a very hard fight in the courts.

Brown's Valley district has sold \$120,000 bonds and the work is nearly complete.

The convention then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

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## ELECTRICITY VS. CABLE.

### The Three Powers for Street Railway Traction.

#### What is Claimed for Electricity Over the Others.

#### Comparisons Between Cable and Electricity in Different Cities.

#### The Cable for Large Cities, the Electric Motor for Smaller Places—The Rationale of It.

The discussions now going on throughout the country as to the relative merits of cable and electric street railways, always take the conditions as they exist in New York, Baltimore, Chicago and San Francisco as the basis of comparison. Smaller cities like Buffalo, Rochester, Indianapolis, Toledo and Los Angeles are left out of sight in these discussions. The advocates of the cable all make their comparisons, or estimates of cost of operation on lines of heavy travel, an admission that the cost of cable operation on lines of less than 50,000 passengers per day, or 500 passengers per day per car, cannot be operated in successful competition with electricity as the motor.

The city of Rochester, N. Y., is more nearly like Los Angeles in its street railway system than any city of the East, though it has more miles of street car line per capita than we have. John N. Beckley, of that city, is president of the Street Railway Association of the State of New York, and is president of the Rochester Railway Company, an officer of the Rochester Electric Railway Company, a distinct corporation that operates an electric line from Rochester to Ontario Beach, a distance of seven miles.

The ninth annual convention of the New York State Street Railway Association met in New York city on the 15th of last September. Mr. Beckley, chairman of the committee on electric motive power for street railways, delivered the report to the committee. The report was deemed so thorough that after discussion a motion to print it entire and distribute it to all street railways in the State was adopted without a dissenting vote. If the committee had been discussing Los Angeles and its street railway line it could not have made a more complete statement of facts and conditions which we have. It is too long to be printed in full, but portions of it which are most directly applicable to our situation are reproduced. The report says:

Out of the needs of modern city and town life grow the horse railway, the development of cities and towns brought with it the necessity for quicker transportation. The American intellect, ready to meet every emergency, set itself at work to devise some method of quickly transporting the people of the great cities of the country, and so far as the great cities are concerned, practically solved the problem presented by inventing and building cable railways. It was soon found, however, that while cable railways answered the purpose for which they were designed in cities like Chicago and Philadelphia, they were not adapted to the smaller cities, except in isolated cases where cost numbers of people were required to be moved daily over a comparatively short mileage.

Five years ago the only street surface railways which were in successful operation anywhere in the United States were horse and cable railways. Within that five years more than 4000 street cars, more than 1000 miles of track, and more than 3000 miles of track in 300 cities and towns in this country have been constructed, on which these electric cars are run with satisfaction to the people and with profit to the companies operating them.

There is, however, one objection, which is urged with great insistence, especially in the city of New York, to the trolley system and that is to the trolley wire itself. There is not the slightest danger in putting up or maintaining the trolley and necessary feed wires if the work is done in a prudent manner, and if reasonable care is exercised in their maintenance, except as these wires are made dangerous by the telephone, electric light and telegraph wires placed above them. If the telephone, telegraph and electric light companies would take as much pains in putting up and maintaining their wires as the electric railroad companies there would never be any occasion for complaint, so far as danger is concerned, and then the only objection which could be urged to the maintenance of the necessary wires to operate electric cars would be their so-called unsightliness.

It must be conceded that poles, however shaped, and wires, however well put up, do mar the appearance of city streets, but quite the contrary. But experience has shown that except as poles be set and wires strung electric roads cannot be made a commercial success, and therefore without poles and wires electric railroads will not be operated. Hence the question presented to the people of a city where the population is large enough to sustain a cable railroad on a given line is this: Shall we have rapid transit by electric motive power and waive the sentimental objection to the maintenance of a few light poles, eight or twelve feet above the surface of the street, or shall we have slow transit by horse power with its many disadvantages and disagreeable accompaniments, and be rid of the wires?

The question is often asked by officials of street railroad companies who are contemplating making a change from horse to electric power, what is the cost of operation of an electric railroad, as compared with the cost of operating a horse railroad? I propose to state some experience which electric railroad companies have had, from October 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., at home. No. 310 East First st. All interested in saving homeless horses are earnestly requested to be present. A cordial invitation is extended to the King's Daughters, who have so generously aided this noble work.

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It will be observed that the earning-power of the electric cars is considerably in excess of that of the horse cars, and that the expense per car mile is considerably below. The West End Company states that the electric cars of the company are run on the longer and less remunerative lines. If this be true, the showing made is very greatly in favor of the electric car from a commercial standpoint.

Permit me to refer to the experience of the company at Rochester, with which I am connected. In the month of May last the Rochester Railway Company operated forty-four 18-foot vestibule electric cars. The gross receipts from passengers riding on these cars during the month was \$37,053, or 23.15 cents per car mile for a mileage of 159,397 miles. The total expense of operation of these cars for that month was \$18,332, thus leaving a net profit of \$18,721. The total cost of operation per car mile was 11.11 cents, and the profit per car mile was therefore 12.11 cents. It may be observed in passing that the operating expense was a trifle under 50 per cent. of the gross receipts.

The cost of operation was divided as follows:

Motive power	2.8 cents
Car repairs	7 cents
Conductors and motormen	4.9 cents
Other expenses	3.0 cents

During the same period the company operated sixty-two horse cars, all of them without conductors. Most of the horse cars were horse or mule-drawn. The total cost of operating the horse cars, without conductors, during this period was about 10 cents per car mile, but the total receipts per car mile were but little above 12 cents.

In the month of June the Rochester Railway Company operated fifty-four electric cars and sixty horse cars. The electric cars earned each day \$25.00, or 22.77 cents per car mile, and the total expense of operating them per day was \$10.50, 11.07 cents per car mile. The cost of operation per car mile was divided as follows: Motive power, 2.40 cents; Car repairs, 1 cent; Conductors and motormen, 5.66 cents; Other expenses, 2.01 cents.

Making a total per car mile of 11.07 cents.

The cost of operating the horse cars during the same month per car mile was 11.06 cents, and they earned 14.37 cents per car mile. These illustrations are fairly indicative of our experience in Rochester month by month. My experience in the operation of street railroads has convinced me that the most economical system of operation is the electric system. I have not, in the statements which I have now made, taken into consideration the greater fixed charge in the operation of an electric railroad as compared with a horse railroad, due to the much greater cost of the former; but in arriving at the conclusion which I have above expressed, due consideration has been given to this element of increased cost.

We know that when a horse railroad is changed over and operated by electricity, the receipts are very largely increased. It is safe in any case to say that the increase in gross receipts will be at least 15 per cent., and the average increase is probably as high as 30 per cent. Some of this increase is undoubtedly due to the greater mileage which the cars make, and still more is due to the cleaner, more rapid and more comfortable transportation of the people.

We have reached the conclusion also that the bugaboo, which formerly somewhat frightened us, of the cost of maintenance and repairs of electric motors, does not frighten us no longer. We have had motors in constant service on one of the first electric lines equipped in this country, namely the line extending from Rochester to Charlotte, and these motors seem as efficient and in every way as satisfactory as they did the first month they were operated. We have of course renewed various parts of the motors and we have replaced the parts which have worn out, the expense of which has gone into the cost of maintenance. But the motors are still there, doing their work, and likely with proper care to perform for years, will be doing their work ten and even twenty years from today. The cost of maintenance and renewal of parts has not been so large as to carry the operating expenses up to anywhere near the expense of operating the same number of cars, at the same mileage, by animal or cable power.

The average number of passengers carried per car per day was 58, which is the number of single trips of riders of passengers carried on all the lines in Rochester daily was three out of every five of the entire population.

Upon the basis given above—and all the facts of the situation here guarantee it—the electric railway will have an earning capacity of about \$8000 per day, after deducting the share of business the cable and horse-car lines control. The electric company can easily make the usual car mileage of 100 miles per day, but the higher cost of fuel here will bring their cost of mileage up to 14 cents per mile as against 11.07 in Rochester. This would bring their gross cost of operation up to \$481.00 per day on the cars which they say they will be running by January 1. If their gross earnings reach only \$8000 per day, it leaves them a net surplus of over \$100,000 per annum, or 5 per cent. on a cost of \$2,000,000. It is a fact that the cable lines, when they came in competition with the electric road, have not suffered any decrease in revenue, but on the contrary have increased, so the receiver states. This may be due to the fact that increased facilities increase the volume of travel. The cable company recognizes the superiority of electricity over animal motors and proposes to electrify their horse-car lines, and will no doubt soon place all their lines under electricity. The remaining horse-car lines of the city have secured electric franchises, and within all of them are electrified, together with the lines of the electric company, the city will have the best street car service in America.

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Sardius G. Bryant to Mary E. L. Bryant, 8.20 acres in 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